## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	) Group Art Unit: 2167
Simon D. Yeung, et al.	) Confirmation No.: 6150
Serial No.: 10/762,918	) Examiner: Le, Miranda
Filed: January 22, 2004	)
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR BUSINESS PROCESS AUTOMATION, ANALYSIS, AND OPTIMIZATION	) ) )

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed October 18, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks, and requests for reconsideration. This response is being submitted concurrently with a request for continued examination (RCE).

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